

Day By Day Summation of the Dale Morris Murder Trial This Week

MONDAY—

Deputy sheriffs held the spotlight at the opening of the Charles Flink Sr. murder trial as after a morning and afternoon of court sessions, only half of the needed 12 jurors were produced. Armed with subpoenas, officers went out into the county seeking jurors for the evening session.

When a special night session adjourned at 10 p.m., nine jurors had been selected for the trial of Dale Morris.

Judge Leslie B. Grant, circuit judge of Mississippi's second Judicial District, ordered a recess shortly before 6 p.m. just after the prospective panel had been exhausted. Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner was then instructed by the court to subpoena jurors from the county-at-large to appear in court that night.

During the procedure, 37 men had been excused from the panel. Twenty-three were excused by Judge Grant for various causes including objecting to capital punishment, personal hardships and having served on a regular circuit jury within the last two years.

District Attorney Boyce Hol-

man, stressed circumstantial evidence, accepting only those who said that circumstantial evidence would be accepted for a conviction, and even the death penalty.

Holleman had exercised eight of his 12 challenges and Howard McDonnell, Biloxi, and Cornelius J. Ladner, Bay St. Louis, defense counsel, had exercised six of their 12 challenges.

A motion was made early in the day by McDonnell to quash the panel, after six jurors were selected. McDonnell claimed that the action of two armed deputy sheriffs in pulling up chairs immediately behind Morris to guard him prejudiced him in the eyes of the jury.

The judge had ordered the deputies away from the defendant, however, and, after a brief rebuttal from District Attorney Holleman, denied the motion.

The indictment against 32-year-old Morris reads that he "willfully, feloniously, unlawfully, and with malice aforethought" killed Charles Flink Sr.

McDonnell told the jurors that "malice aforethought" meant

premeditation. He said the state must prove this and accepted those jurors who agreed with this.

ACCUSED MAN CALM
Morris, a 6-foot, 220-pound, rodeo rider and cowhand from Billings, Mont., sat calmly, smoking and talking with his lawyers throughout the Monday sessions. He was attired in gray flannel pants and dark blue coat and a red bow tie. Quite a contrast to the Nov. 23 day when he was arrested in New Orleans, wearing a 10-gallon hat, blue jeans and a cowboy boots.

TUESDAY—

By 10:30 Tuesday morning the jury panel was completed and the trial of the State of Mississippi vs. Dale Morris was begun.

During the court session, which lasted until 9:20 Tuesday night, the state paraded 17 witnesses before the court.

Only witness in the morning session was Mrs. Charles Flink Sr., who told of the actual shooting. She said she and her husband heard a "clicking sound" about 11 p.m. and her husband

got out of the house and went to the back porch. He saw a light flash and heard a shot. She said she ran out of bed, ran toward the front door and cried "Oh my Lord, what are they doing to you?" Her husband, who had been in the house himself when the second shot was fired, said she fell dead at her feet.

Defense attorney McDonnell asked her if she heard a vehicle leaving the yard. Mrs. Flink's quiet reply: "I prayed so long and so hard I didn't hear anything."

FBI AGENT WITNESS

At the request of District Attorney Holleman, FBI chief J. Edgar Hoover sent a special agent, from Washington, who made two startling disclosures. The crime laboratory specialist said examination of scrapings from Morris' station wagon undercarriage could not have come from a hardwood tree. It had to come from a tree of the pine species, he said.

The murderer of Flink had knocked down a four-foot pine tree in his getaway, Morris ve-

hicle had been damaged but was not damaged beyond repair. In the afternoon Henry Robert, a Louisiana hotel employee, testified that Morris was in the hotel early in the morning Nov. 23 and later remarked about hitting a car in the motel yard. Siebert said the tree seemed proportionately smaller than the damage to the station wagon.

The special agent's second disclosure was that the jack base and lift sent to him by investigating authorities showed markings indicating that the base had been used by the lift.

A jack lift was found at the murder scene still hooked to the bumper of Flink's automobile, according to testimony given Tuesday night from state highway patrolman Bill Kenney.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Larkey, who had hidden along the coast to Watson's Restaurant (across from Flink's) with Morris Nov. 22, said that Morris had become "obnoxious" as they were driving across the Bay St. Louis toll bridge and both Larkey and his wife declared that Morris mentioned that he needed a fire and was going to look around for

one from any vehicle that appeared handy.

They also said Morris was drunk and after they got out, just on the Bay side of Watkins' Larkey said he thought he heard shots. A few moments later, they testified, they saw Morris racing past heading toward Bay St. Louis. The Larkeys said they were trying to hitch a ride back to Ocean Springs (they were going to New Orleans with Morris) and saw Morris turn around and hid as the "cowboy" passed back heading toward New Orleans.

Mrs. Louise Watkins testified that as she was closing her restaurant, she peeped out through the blinds to take a look as she ordinarily does before retiring to see if anyone was out front. She said she saw a station wagon moving "teetering" as though it was going to make a getaway.

She could not say what color the vehicle was.

THE JURY

Selected on the jury panel were: Curtis J. Robinger, Kiln, state forestry service employee; Allan Kraft, Santa Rosa, gar-

ment factory employee; Wilbur O. Favre, Waveland, plumber helper and painter; George Smith, Pearlton, pulpwood worker.

Lavander Necaise, Kiln, farmer; Joseph Haas, Kiln, carpenter and electrician; E. G. Haro, Bay St. Louis, motor company service manager; James Fillingame, Bay St. Louis, R.E.A. electrical engineer; Robert Camors, Bay St. Louis, automobile dealer; Raymond Ladner, Waveland, carpenter; and Eric Necaise, Bay St. Louis, power company employee.

Two alternates were selected: Lucas Pucheu, Bay St. Louis, dry cleaning establishment operator, and Sam Mayer, Bay St. Louis, lawnmower repairman.

WEDNESDAY—

Nine more witnesses took the stand in the third day of the Dale Morris murder trial, which for the third time went into night session but failed to be wrapped up. Judge Grant recessed at 9 p.m. due to the overflowing crowd which refused to be orderly.

Morris himself took the stand for an hour and 10 minutes and

consistently claimed "I know nothing about Mr. Flink's death."

However, in the morning session Morris admitted that he owned the gun which ballistics expert Charles Kincaid of NO PD testified killed Flink. Morris also admitted that an auto jack base plate found in his station wagon after his arrest "could" have been his. FBI crime laboratory agent Frazier had testified it was the base plate on which a jack found under Flink's bumper had been seen some time previously.

A surprise witness was Joseph L. Scheureing, former New Orleans police superintendent, was employed last Nov. by the Morris family as the operator of a private detective agency to "obtain facts" in the case.

Scheureing told of a recording he made at the home of the Larkeys in Ocean Springs where Morris had been staying a few days after the Flink death. The record was not admitted as evidence.

He said at that time the Larkeys said "if he (Morris) is

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Red Cross Needs \$1,900

"As this year's Red Cross fund drive draws to a close, this Saturday, a last urgent appeal is made to the people of our city and county to contribute now, if they have not already done so," Kenneth Pepperdene, chairman for the Hancock County Chapter said.

Up to press time donations totaled \$3000, which is about \$1900 short of the needed quota.

Funds are so desperately needed this year more than ever before if Red Cross is to maintain its ability to provide adequate help for unfortunate victims when disaster strikes. "We sincerely hope that when complete reports are in from our workers, our people here can proudly know that they have answered the call to provide for our less fortunate brothers."

"We urgently ask each person to make that extra little sacrifice. They will find great satisfaction in knowing that when they hear of Red Cross help in time of disaster wherever it may be or Red Cross help given some serviceman somewhere, they can say 'I was there, too'."

"You can do this through your dollar given now," Pepperdene said.

NEW SIGNS DESIGNATE WHITE AND COLORED WAITING ROOMS AT L&N

By order of the state of Mississippi signs designating the waiting rooms for white and colored were placed at the Bay St. Louis L & N depot last week by Z. C. Black, local B & B foreman.

Black said he received the signs Thursday from the L & N district office in Mobile and also said signs for the Waveland station should arrive this weekend and will be put up immediately.

The white signs with black lettering state "White Waiting Room—(Intrastate)—By Order of the state of Mississippi." The colored waiting room sign also has the same wording—Colored Waiting Room, ect.

Last January small metal signs at the local station which said only "white" and "Colored" were removed by orders from the L & N. Black said. It was the first time, he also commented, in his 30 years with the company that the station did not have waiting room signs.

After January orders reached the Gulf Coast police departments of Gulfport and Pascagoula immediately placed their own signs at the stations. At that time Bay Police Chief Alvin Sauter said there had been no trouble at the local depot—and signs were not placed.

The white signs are so far being put in all L & N stations in Alabama and Mississippi. Black said.

Spears Is Guilty Of Burglary And Grand Larceny

E J Spears was found guilty of burglary and grand larceny Friday night in Hancock County Circuit Court and was sentenced to three years in the state penitentiary by Circuit Judge Leslie Grant.

Spears was convicted of burglarizing a north Hancock County residence last May 3, said District Attorney Boyce Holleman. His co-defendant, Glendene Ladner, pleaded guilty in the Sept. term of Circuit Court and is serving a nine months sentence.

A mistrial had resulted for Spears at the previous term of court.

LOCAL RESIDENTS ARE INJURED IN AUTO MISHAP

Two Hancock county residents were hospitalized with serious injuries following a head-on collision of two automobiles Friday evening on Hwy. 90, four miles west of Bay St. Louis.

State Highway Patrolman Fred Curet reported that Mrs. Mary Vigreus, Carroll Avenue, Waveland, driver of 1949 Jeep station wagon was taken to King's Daughters Hospital with severe cuts on the right knee, as well as chest injuries.

Mrs. Esther Martin, occupant of a 1952 DeSoto sedan driven by her husband, B A Martin, Pilot Wheel Court, Bay St. Louis, was taken to Memorial Hospital in Gulfport with leg fractures.

The accident, which totaled \$1,050 in property damage, was reported to have occurred when the Jeep attempted to leave the highway and cut in the path of the DeSoto.

GARBAGE TO BE PICKED UP SAT.

Garbage pickups will be made Saturday, March 31 instead of Friday due to good Friday according to City Commissioner, Cyril Glover.

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Rule Mistrial In Flink Murder

Waveland Asks Commuter Bus



JACK PACE, Southern Vice-Commander, of McGee, was the guest speaker Saturday at the 38th birthday celebration of the American Legion at the local post. Pictured from left to right: Mrs. Russell Elliott, 9th District president; Mrs. Joe Compretta, Unit 139 president; Mrs. A. A. Busk, State president; and Pace. In the lower photo Russell Elliott, Adjutant of Post 139, is shown lighting the birthday candles.

Mayor Gardfield Ladner of Waveland said Thursday a meeting held at the City Hall between town officials and representatives of the Greyhound Bus company "apparently failed" in an attempt to have a commuters bus pass through the town.

According to Horace Thompson Sr., one of the fifty citizens that attended the meeting, main objections of the company were:

1. It would take two years to get permission from interstate commerce commission to change the route.
2. The company's business has been declining.
3. Not being assured of sufficient number of riders to justify the change.
4. Commuters from Harrison county would complain of the loss of 15 minutes due to going through Waveland.
5. That many other communities, such as the back section of Gulfport and Slidell, have been trying to get a commuters bus.

Thompson said that a check on his own showed that forty commuters would prefer the bus because of saving a good half-an-hour or more instead of the train.

He also said that many of the 100 or more in Waveland going to New Orleans daily in their automobiles would prefer a bus.

The Greyhound Bus company was forced by petition to re-route their busses from the beach boulevards of Bay St. Louis and Waveland to Hwy. 90 when March 8, Andrew Wade was killed at the intersection of Washington Street and South Beach Blvd. in a bus-auto collision. It was alleged that the bus was exceeding the speed limit.

The meeting was attended by Mayor Ladner, Mayor John Scalford of Bay St. Louis, County Supervisors Manny Hubbard and Charles Russ, Aldermen of the Town of Waveland, and many local citizens.

Mayor Ladner asked the people to continue their fight to get a commuters bus.

USMCR Inspector House Saturday

Members of the Inspector Instructor Staff, 1st Armo Phb Co., USMCR of Gulfport will be in the Assessor's Office at the County Court House on March 31, between the hours of 9:00 and 12:00 am for the purpose of assessing applications for enlistment in the USMCR and to answer any questions regarding the enlistment of all young men without prior military service. They will also accept men with prior military service.

A mistrial was ruled in the Charles Flink Sr. murder case and Circuit Judge Leslie Grant set the case for the September term of court.

Dale Morris, who was immediately turned over to Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner, said "I am very, very grateful."

At 4:10 p.m. Thursday jury spokesman Robert Camors reported for the second time that afternoon that the jury had failed to reach a verdict.

The jury, which had been at 2:58, re-appeared to report a 11-1 vote. They were not permitted to say if it was 11-1 for conviction or for acquittal.

Judge Grant thanked the members of the jury and declared a mistrial in the case.

The 32-year-old rodeo rider of Billings, Mont. was indicted March 12 for the Nov. 22 slaying of Charles Flink Sr., a 35-year-old operator of a souvenir shop on Highway 90, four miles west of Bay St. Louis.

When arraigned the following week Morris pleaded innocent. Clad in his nightshirt and with a flashlight in one hand and a .32 calibre revolver, Flink went to the front porch of his home around 11:30 p.m. and was twice shot by a .22-caliber automatic. Flink, who died almost immediately, had surprised the murderer in the act of stealing a tire from the family car and yelled "I see you buddy."

The first shot hit Flink a few inches below the heart and as he turned to reenter his home a second bullet lodged in his back.

The murderer fled in a vehicle which uprooted a four-foot pine tree.

The following day Morris was arrested by New Orleans authorities in a motel there. Nov. 24 he refused to return to Mississippi voluntarily.

When arrested in connection with the Flink slaying, Morris said "I am not a murderer or a thief. When I was arrested I had over a hundred dollars of my own and certainly was not forced to steal automobile tires."

LOCAL CITIZENS INVITED TO MEC MEET APRIL 10

Citizens of Hancock County are "especially invited" to attend the Mississippi Economic Council's 7th annual meeting in Jackson on Tuesday, April 10, according to Robert L. Hamilton of Bay St. Louis, an MEC director for this area.

"The MEC's annual meeting represents the largest gathering of business and civic leaders of this area, especially in the area of industry and residents," the director said. "We trust our section will be well represented. Now is the time to make your reservations."

He pointed out that the only charge is for the meals involved. There is no registration fee, and members and non-members are invited.



DALE MORRIS

He said he was in New Orleans for one purpose—"to propose to the woman I love."

At that time John Egloff, then sheriff of Hancock county, revealed this chain of evidence against Morris:

1. A red and white station wagon was seen leaving Flink's Waveland home after the killing. Morris was driving a red and white station wagon.
2. Flink was killed with bullets from a .22-caliber pistol. Morris had a .22 pistol and a rifle in his car.
3. The murderer apparently was trying to steal a tire from Flink's automobile when Flink heard the sounds. Morris had a blowout Sunday and an argument over a tire with two persons Tuesday.
4. Whoever killed Flink ran his vehicle over a pine tree before speeding away from the scene. The rear of Morris' station wagon is damaged.
5. All four points were given in testimony during the trial and it was proved that the pistol found in Morris' vehicle was the murder weapon.
6. Also a tire base left at the scene is believed to be part of the jack found in the Morris station wagon.

19 In County Become Catholics During Last Year

During 1955 19 persons became Catholics in Hancock County, according to reports released by His Excellency, the Most Rev. Richard O. Gerow, S.T.D., Bishop of Natchez, St. Louis, 723 converts were reported.

In Bay St. Louis 11 conversions were listed (Our Lady of the Gulf Parish, 10, St. Rose de Lima Parish, 1). DeLisle, 0; Kiln, 1; Pearlton, 0; and Waveland, 7. Pass Christian has 15 while Piquayune listed 4 and 252 colored.

The total Catholic population for the Diocese of Natchez is 59,002.

3 Dead After Fateful Week of Jonah Tug

Tug SS Bratt, skippered by a Lakeshore captain, enjoyed a short but peaceful siesta Saturday morning on the bed of Unknown Pass, 30 miles west of Bay St. Louis, after a week of bad luck.

This is the incredible sequence of events:

Sunday: The tug was passing Bay St. Louis and the Gulf of Mexico.

sulphur from Texas.

Monday: The barge sank in Mobile Bay.

Tuesday: SS Bratt's captain, Victor L. Johnson, of Lakeshore, died of a heart attack.

Wednesday: Crewman Delroy Ladner, 50, Lakeshore, fell overboard and was lost.

Landrey was called off and the tug began her trip back past the Gulf Coast and to New Orleans for a Coast Guard inquiry.

Friday: At 5 a.m. the tug sank in the Intracoastal Canal between Lake Catherine and Lake Borgne. The five crew members were saved.

Saturday: Temporary peace was saved and the vessel was later raised.

Sires, 42, drowned after supervising the raising of the Bratt. Charles Smith, the other co-owner, swam to safety after the skiff capsized.

The record of misfortune goes even further: The SS Bratt sank last May after a collision in the Mississippi river near Venice, La. All crewmembers were saved and the vessel was later raised.

YACHT CLUB EASTER PLANS

Members of the Bay-Waveland and their guests are invited to a gala Easter Eve Celebration at the Club.

A steak dinner will be served from six to eight pm, and members are urged to make their reservations early. Cost of the dinner will be \$2.00 per person.

Dancing with music by "The Statisticians" of New Orleans will begin at 9 pm and last until 11.

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Sirs:

I have read your recent editorial with reference to the King's Daughters Hospital. Your editorial carries the inference that the officers and directors of the hospital are unwilling to have the hospital records audited and that such audit would disclose a misappropriation of public funds. I resent these implications and I am sure that these implications are resented by all of the decent citizens of this community. However, be that as it may, the hospital board had authorized the making of such an audit and if your editorial had been accurate and fair it would have so stated.

When my wife accepted the presidency of the hospital it was against my protest for I feel that she has done more than her share in undertaking charitable work in this community for many years. I venture to say that there are few people in this community who have given as unselfishly of their time and efforts to worthwhile causes as has Mrs. Carrere and she has done this, in my opinion, to the detriment of her health. Now, because of a petty quarrel between two groups Mrs. Carrere finds herself subjected to such unjust and baseless criticism as that attempted in your editorial. I refuse to believe that your views are shared by the better element of which you speak.

Inasmuch as this is the manner in which the press expresses its gratitude to Mrs. Carrere for her many civic and charitable labors, I wish to advise that from this day forward I shall contribute no funds to any institution or organization in your community and will personally take no part in any of its affairs, whether of a civic or

charitable nature. Just last Saturday I received two requests for contributions to be made to organizations in this community. The decision I have mentioned above will apply to these two requests.

Furthermore, as a resident of this community, I have spent considerable funds with the tradespeople and merchants of this community over a number of years. As of this day I have requested that Mrs. Carrere make no further purchases in the community and in the event that the merchants wish to know why they will be properly advised.

I ask that you withdraw my name from your mailing list and that you cancel my subscription. I further ask that you advise me as to the names of the stockholders of your publication.

Yours truly,

ED. C. CARRERE

Our editorial last week certainly did not imply there was any misappropriation of public funds. We—and other taxpayers of the county—feel that the people are entitled to know how their \$19 thousand donated to the hospital was spent. We fall to see why Mr. Carrere—and Mr. Kirkpatrick last week—feel that this is such an unreasonable request.

We believe if Mr. Carrere had read the lines, rather than apparently between them, in last week's editorial, he would have found we did "so state" the fact that the hospital board had promised an audit, quote: "Another story, headed 'Hospital to Give Audit,' related the fact that the hospital's counselor had told the ECHO an audit would be made public the second Monday in April."

So far as our desire for an audit being "resented" by "the decent citizens of this community" and the "better element," to date the only criticism of our stand has been from the husbands of two members of the board. All other comments we have received, unfortunately verbal, have backed us 100 per cent.

Regarding the method of how Mr. Carrere chooses to conduct his personal affairs in the future, we feel that is entirely between Mr. Carrere and his own conscience, and does not warrant any editorial comment.

As to his request that his name be withdrawn from our mailing list, we will be glad to do so. However, we are unable to cancel his subscription, since according to our books it expired in September, 1955, anyway.

The Second and Third Grades, Miss Magee's room, enjoyed a birthday party last week. G. W. Graham was nine years old. The children were served cake and ice cream after the gifts were opened.

Mrs. Donald Stevens entertained in honor of Rebecca's ninth birthday. The party was given in the classroom. Games were played and delicious refreshments were served.

The children are now busy making Easter posters and Easter baskets in preparation for their Easter egg hunt on Thursday, March 29.

The Fourth Grade is having an Easter egg hunt Thursday, March 29, from 12:30 to 1 at the home of Mrs. William Pittcain.

Mrs. Donald L. Stevens was hostess to a lovely birthday party given in the Fifth Grade classroom Friday afternoon honoring her daughter, Sherrill Lynn, on her eleventh birthday. Delicious birthday cake, ice cream, and candy were served to her classmates.

Junior Garden Club of Bay High held a meeting March 28, 1956. Easter was the main topic. Mrs. Paul Miller, speaker, demonstrated ideas for Easter. She made some gay arrangements using dyed Easter eggs and various flowers and plants. Twenty-one girls attended the meeting.

Catherine Alliston, Clea Kay Miller and Mrs. Juanita Erwin, sponsor of the F. H. A. Club of Bay High School, motored to Gulfport Saturday, March 24, 1956 for the F. H. A. Convention held at East Ward Jr. High School. The theme of the convention was "Selecting F. H. A. Leaders." The trip was very interesting and enjoyed by all.

Plan To Abandon Baldwin Try At 11,158 Foot Mark

Approximately a mile south of the discovery well in the Ansel field Marshall R. Young is reported to be preparing to abandon this Baldwin et al No. 1, sec. 31-98-15w, at 11,153 feet. The confirmation well in the field is reported to have run lower on structure than the discovery well with core at 10,938-80 feet logging only slight shows of oil. This zone was considered the equivalent section of the Cuevas sand producing in the discovery well. Three additional cores to depth of 11,052 feet failed to log any shows. Electrical log was run to depth of 11,058 feet.

Approximately two miles east of the Louisiana line near Westonia, J. Willis Hughes is drilling below 10,930 feet in his reopened wildcat, the Weston Lumber Co. No. 1, sec. 34-88-16w. Abandoned last summer at total depth of 10,336 feet, operator is expected to drill to below 11,000 feet.

MARCH BOOK REVIEW TO BE POSTPONED
The March Book Review to be held at the Library has been postponed to April 28. Mrs. John Hall Jacobs will be the reviewer.

A. J. KERN ELECTED
Albert J. Kern, headmaster of the Kern School and president of the Pass Christian Chamber of Commerce, was elected president of the Pass Christian Rotary Club Tuesday.

Al Bourdin Jr., of the Hancock Bank was elected Vice-president and E. A. Lang, realtor, was re-elected secretary.

ECHOES

Of Bygone Days

5 Years Ago

March 30, 1951—Bobby Clapp, Bay High Tiger halfback, received and accepted an invitation to play in the second annual Mississippi All-star high school football game at Jackson.

Clapp is the second BHS gridder to receive this honor. Last year Clyde Farve played in the inaugural tilt.

10 Years Ago

April 2, 1946—The following selections were ordered for Pre-Induction physical examination: John P. Wilson, Martin R. Koch, Joseph L. Schwartz, Thomas W. Hirth, Luther W. Lott, Leonard M. Mayard, Robert J. Fayard, Robert S. LeBlanc, Elvin J. Garcia, Marvin Dawsey and Carl L. Olschener Jr.

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25 Years Ago

April 3, 1931—Horace L. Kerzner announced his candidacy for sheriff of Hancock county. Baseball: Bay St. Louis defeated Waveland 15-8 with T. Egloff and C. Colliers teaming up on hurling a 7-hitter for the Bay nine. A. Usher and

D. B. Tellard allowed 15-hits. Bay's J. V. Bontemps went 4-for-5.

50 Years Ago

March 31, 1906—Filler: Gold coins usually remain in circulation twice as long as copper ones.

NOTICE

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SOUTHERN SAMPLERS

BY CHRISTOPHER BELL

In case anyone wondered, the idea of Easter eggs originated in Persia, the Easter Bunny being supposed to lay all sorts of different kinds on Easter Eve. The egg, of course, was used as the sign of new life and the different colors were to stimulate the rays of the returning sun—after a drab winter, such of no doubt as we still endure.

Actually, I find that Easter everywhere signifies a return to new life, a springtime renewal. Easter takes its name in English from the Anglo-Saxon goddess, Eostre, who represents light, and a festival was held in her honor every April. The modern Easter celebration is really a convergence of the Pagan, Jewish and Christian and that no kind of people any festivals. The Pagan, of course, where should take it.—CPB



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This is in keeping with the nationwide trend of banks, insurance companies, industries, trades, etc., also in order that we may continue to attract the best possible personnel to serve our customers.

It has also been found that observances of the following holidays would be more in keeping with the best interest of the Coast Business Houses and banking public; therefore, after April 7, 1956, the Mississippi Gulf Coast Banks will observe the following holidays:

NEW YEAR'S DAY
MARDI GRAS DAY
(Bay St. Louis thru Biloxi)
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LABOR DAY
THANKSGIVING DAY
CHRISTMAS DAY

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FOR SALE - "A tract of land containing about 12.83 acres, situated just outside the City of Bay St. Louis, just off Main Street, extended, and near U. S. Highway 90. This land is an approximately rectangular shaped parcel of ground, 560 feet on Green Meadow Road, opposite the "Blue Meadow Subdivision" of McDonald Realty Co. For further information contact Posey R. Bowers, Executor, 2825 Calhoun St., New Orleans, La., Tel. WA-2963." 3-16-3tc

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FOR RENT

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FOR RENT - Furnished house and garage 137 St. Chas. St. Apply 404 Carroll Ave. 3-16-tfc

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FOR RENT - House, 310 State. Phone 488-J. 3-30-1tp

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AMONG RED CROSS volunteers are a group of Grey Ladies who visit the Gulfport V. A. hospital regularly each week. Grey Ladies pictured are Mrs. V. J. Piazza, Mrs. V. M. Duncing, Miss Alberta Beyer, Chairman, Miss Mary Margaret Johnson.

Episcopal PTA Meets Tuesday

Christ Episcopal Day School PTA met last Tuesday at the school with Mrs. Lewis Wagner presiding.

The meeting opened with the Parent-Teacher prayer after which the children of Mrs. Raymond's third grade presented an amusing skit, "Making Our School the Safest School."

The Spring Festival which will be held on April 28, was discussed and plans were continued for this annual event.

Mrs. Wagner read a letter from the State President, Mrs. Stovall Lowery, urging local PTA units to write their legislators soliciting support for the bills prohibiting "quack medicines," and for the increase in financial aid for the support of classes for the exceptional child.

Dr. and Mrs. John Griffin and family spent Sunday in New Orleans visiting Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Pigford. They attended the Air Show at the Naval Airbase.

INFANT CHRISTENED

Karen, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Buehler, 422 De Montuzin, was christened Sunday March 25 at Our Lady of the Gulf Church.

Father John Leonard officiated with Lew Monti, uncle of Karen, as Godfather and Mrs. Charles Rhodes, an aunt, as Godmother.

THE COURT-MARTIAL OF BILLY MITCHELL

STARS GARY COOPER

Gary Cooper appears on the screen Sun-Mon-Tue. at the Star Theatre in the role of Billy Mitchell, the defiant general who risked disgrace and dishonor to warn his country of a great impending danger, in the Warner Bros. presentation, "The Court-Martial of Billy Mitchell."

Cooper, an old hand at films dealing with aviation, accepted the role the moment he heard the studio was planning to use him.

REHEARSES 25 YEARS

A. S. ("De") Fisher, head of the ordnance Department of Fort Sill, Army base at Lawton, Okla., holds the distinction of having rehearsed his roll of Simon Peter in the bible story "The Prince of Peace," for 25 years before actually playing it on the screen. Mr. Fisher had appeared in the famous religious service on Wichita Mountain each year since its origin by Rev. A. Mark Wallock in 1926. He also served as choir leader of the Little Minister's church in Lawton. "The Prince of Peace" the screen's first full-length version of the Passion Play depicting the Life of Christ, comes to the Moonlite Drive-In Sunday.

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AVALON
"View From Pompey's Head," 3:00, 5:03, 7:10 and 9:15
HI-WAY DRIVE-IN
"The Tall Men," 7:30 & 10:07
LEGION
"Never Say Good-bye," 1:00, 3:12, 5:24, 7:36 and 9:48.
MOONLITE
"The Prince of Peace," 7:00 and 11:14
"The Purple Mask," 9:47
STAR
"The Court Martial Of Billy Mitchell," 3:26, 5:32, 7:38, 9:30

Auxiliary Meets

The Woman's Auxiliary of Christ Episcopal Church met Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Rectory on South Beach.

After devotionals, "Spirit Lifters," led by Mrs. R. E. Porter, Jr., Mrs. Lloyd Griffith introduced the guest speaker, Miss Jamerett Hennessey, Director of Christian Education for the Diocese of Louisiana. "Vocation of Professional Women in the Church," was Miss Hennessey's subject. A brief question period followed.

Hostesses for morning refreshments were Mesdames Charles Johnson, Paula Jenks and John Kramer.

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SUN. & MON. APRIL 1 & 2

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Waveland News

Miss Cecile Turcotte

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mazarakis and Mr. and Mrs. Osvald Ladner and daughter, Mary Beth spent Friday in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Armit Jenkins motored to Algiers, Louisiana on Saturday and visited Mr. and Mrs. George Thorning, Jr. and sons.

Arriving home on Wednesday from Mississippi State College were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Turcotte, Jr. and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bourgeois and Mr. Wesley Bourgeois were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourgeois.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Henry Necaise who passed away at her home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand Ladner announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, born Monday, March 26, at Mercy Hospital, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall and daughter, Lynne and Mrs. T. H. Brockman, Sr. motored to Mobile, Ala. on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benedict Bourgeois and Mrs. Willie Bourgeois, Jr. attended the funeral of Mrs. Gary Bourgeois, Jr. in New Orleans on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Bourgeois and sons of New Orleans spent Saturday here visiting relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Kramer are spending some time at their home on Beach Blvd.

The reporter of this column wishes all its readers a happy and holy Easter.

DIALOGUE NO SUB

FOR ACTION SAYS

VET RAOUL WALSH

Raoul Walsh, who believes that action speaks louder than words on the motion picture screen, had ample opportunity to prove his theory in "The Tall Men," the Twentieth Century-Fox CinemaScope De Luxe color western coming Sunday to the Hi-Way Theatre. Clark Gable, Jane Russell, Robert Ryan and Cameron Mitchell are the stars in this action-packed western.

"Dialogue, good dialogue is a part of action but it is not a substitute for it," Walsh explained. "On a special occasion it may be all right for boy to tell girl that he loves her with a Browning, but he should not let poetry obliterate the fact that he has a body—or that she has."

Almost by way of visual explanation Walsh added a touch to the big love scene in "The Tall Men." Gable, having res-

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"The Prince Of Peace"

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BORIS KARLOFF

Blue Jeans Hold Birthday Party

The Blue Jeans Garden Club held its annual birthday party at the home of Mrs. C. E. Becker, on March 19. It was their eighth birthday. Mrs. Abby Bing was co-hostess.

In judging arrangements, winners in various divisions were: Mrs. Ida Jourdan, Pottery; Mrs. B. Peterson, Wild; and horticultural, Mrs. J. Rousseau; Cultivated, Mrs. A. Bing; miniature, and Mrs. L. Saleeby. Entrance prize was won by Mrs. P. Finn.

After a short business meeting, the birthday cake was cut by Mrs. J. Orr. Coffee and Tea were served by Mrs. Finn and Mrs. Wm. Bordages.

Mrs. Ida Jourdan was welcomed in the club. Those in attendance were: Mesdames A. Agregaard, C. Becker, A. Bing, J. Bordages, Wm. Bordages, R. Cope, E. Dennis, E. Doskey, P. Finn, T. Floyd, J. Foegel, E. Hankins, J. Jourdan, E. Lachner, R. Miller, H. Ming, O. Orr, B. Peterson, R. Richmond, J. Rousseau and E. Saleeby.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM THOMAS O'BRIEN, DECEASED, BY WILHELMINA L. O'BRIEN, EXECUTRIX

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of William Thomas O'Brien, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 2nd day of March, 1956, and therefore, notice is hereby given, requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

WILHELMINA L. O'BRIEN, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM THOMAS O'BRIEN, DECEASED.

3-9-4t



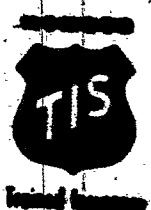
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Services Held For Maud Buchanan

Funeral services were held Thursday for Maud Buchanan, Negro, 34, with services at St. Rose de Lima Church.

The deceased had died in Chicago, Ill.

Burial was at Cedar Rest Cemetery.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, on July 2, 1955, Grady Durham executed a deed of trust to Mrs. Mary K. Prat, Trustee, to secure an indebtedness therein mentioned to Ferdinand Prat, which deed of trust is duly recorded in Book 61, Pages 486-487, Record of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land, Hancock County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and the said Ferdinand Prat, the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned trustee to foreclose same for the purpose of paying said indebtedness and costs;

NOW, THEREFORE, I will, on the 6th day of April, 1956, within legal hours, offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, the following described property, to-wit:

All of Lot No. One (1) of property now known as Walke's Sub., Waveland, Miss., which said subdivision is a subdivision of lot No. 1 of Div. of Francois Favre Est., being part or NW 1/4 of Sec. 4, Tp. 9 S, R. 14 W., as per a survey made by J. Roland Weston, C. E., dated May 25, 1947; being a part of the same property acquired by A. J. Falkenstein, Sr., and Myrtle G. Lotze Falkenstein from William V. Walkinsaw, et al., on the 15th day of August, 1948, as recorded in Book 148, Pages 335-37 and acquired by the Grantors herein from A. J. Falkenstein, Sr., and Myrtle G. Lotze Falkenstein on the 27th day of December, 1949, as recorded in Book 15, Page 546, Deed Records of Hancock County, Mississippi. The said property is described as Lot No. "1" on the plat filed with said Deed in Book 148, Pages 335-37, Deed Records of Hancock County, Miss.

Together with all and singular the rights, privileges, improvements and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining. Advertised, posted and dated this 9th day of March, A. D., 1956.

Mr. Mary K. Prat, Trustee

3-16-4t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Frank E. Clesi, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 15 day of March, 1956, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and have them probated and allowed within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.

This the 20 day of March, 1956.

Mrs. Anna Winstein Clesi

Administratrix

3-23-4t

Three In Flink Family Meet Violent Death

"He was a wonderful person, the whole family was," said Mrs. Louise Watkins the day after Charles Flink met tragic death November 22 when he surprised a tire thief outside his home and was fatally shot. "He didn't have to shoot him," the neighbor said.

Nor did 26 years ago Flink's mother and brother have to die at the hands of a robber who fled with \$5.23—leaving the two behind a store counter.

While 13-year old Flink was upstairs, New Orleans police reports state, his mother and brother were being robbed early one morning at their grocery store at the 7 mile post (Gentilly Hwy.) in New Orleans and beaten with an ax. For the double slaying a Negro, Julius "Dum Dum" Roberts, was given life in the Louisiana State penitentiary, escaping death on a technicality.

Tragic death had come to three members of the Flink family—mother, brother and Charles Jr.

Three weeks before that November 22nd, Flink's pet dog was found dead—shot.

A 39-year-old operator of a successful Hwy. 90 souvenir shop—four miles west of Bay St. Louis—Flink "was doing nicely," one next-door neighbor recalled. Other friends of the



DEPUTY SHERIFF Sam Peterson stands in the path where two .22-caliber shots passed and killed Charles Flink Sr. Nov. 22. (X) marks the spot where Flink, armed with his own .38, stood and yelled "I see you buddy," while (O) shows where the murderer fired from. The inset shows Charles Flink Sr., the last member of a family marked for tragedy.

Flink family recall how happy Charles Flink was with his souvenir shop, which stands 100 yards in front of the small residence where Charles, his wife, Bernice, and their two children, Barbara Ann, 19 and Charles Jr., 9, lived.

Charles Flink owned over

seven acres of land off the highway, most of it covered with pines. Their home was modest, and unpretentious, but comfortable enough and furnished with enough appliances to attest to Charles Flink's success with his souvenir shop.

"It doesn't make sense," was

Mrs. Byron Kane and daughter has left for Germany where she will join her husband who is a member of the Armed Forces stationed there.



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PASS CHRISTIAN NEWS

The Alpha Omicron chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its bi-monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the Chapter room at the Community Center in Pass Christian.

Mrs. Edith Lazes, president, introduced Mrs. Vicky Hill of Bay St. Louis, guest speaker, who gave a very interesting talk on "The Origin of Drama" after which she enacted a scene from "Mary Stewart" from Schiller's drama in which she gave an inspiring interpretation of Mary Stewart.

In the Matter of The Estate of Oliver J. Planchet, Deceased, By Paul N. Planchet, Administrator

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Oliver J. Planchet, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 23rd day of March, 1956, and therefore, notice is hereby given, requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

Paul N. Planchet
Administrator of the Estate of Oliver J. Planchet, Deceased

3-30-4t

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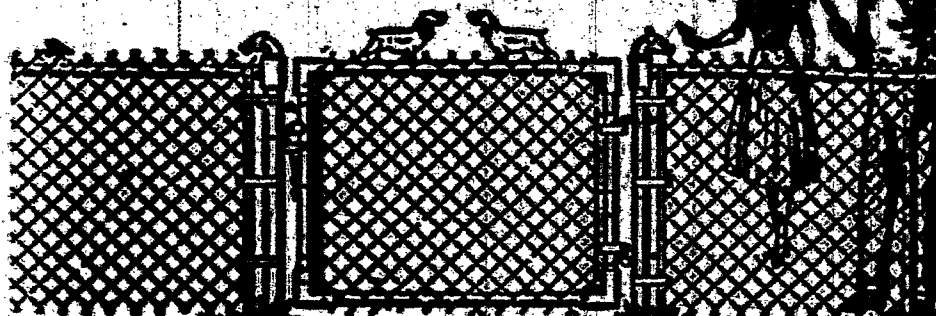
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Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert T. Boyd, Jr. entertained at a party last Saturday afternoon in honor of their son, Bob's fifth birthday.

The children enjoyed party games and received favors of toy kaledascopes.

The Easter theme was used in the decoration and refreshments. The birthday cake, decorated with little bunnies and chickens, was served with ice cream and other party goodies.

About twenty of Bob's little friends joined him for the afternoon.

Annual LWV Meet

Planned At Library
Thursday, April 19

The League of Woman voters will hold their annual meeting Thursday, April 19 at 8 o'clock at the Hancock County library. All members are urged to attend.

Suggestions for the study of the year 1956-57 should be mailed to Mrs. John McDonald prior to the meeting.

At that time the subject will be decided upon, and the annual report will be given.



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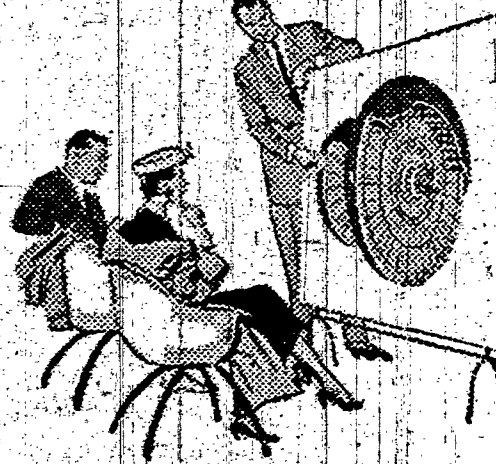
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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids to be filed with the Clerk of this Board not later than 9:00 o'clock A.M., April 9th, 1956, for furnishing to Hancock County to be used by the County Engineer, the following equipment:

1. One Engineers Dumpy Level, 18 inch, first grade, magnifying power 32 Diameters, Cross Bar of Hard bronze, Center of hard bell metal, Leveling head of 4 screw type, Removable and replaceable bronze bushings, to fit U. S. Standard 3/4 inch x 8 threads, tripods, complete with carrying case, and one standard heavy split leg 3/8 inch tripod with U. S. Standard head with 3/4 inch x 8 threads.

2. One set of 11 Surveyors arrows or steel marking pins 14 inches long x 7/16ths.

3. One only, 100 ft. Engineers steel tape 5/16ths inches wide x .025 inches thick, indestructible type.

4. Two, first grade, 6 ft. wood range poles enameled alternately white and red each foot.

5. One only, Philadelphia type, self reading, 7 ft. extending to 13 ft. Level Rod, complete with Target and vernier reading to 100th of a ft.

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A Tract of Land beginning at the corner of Sections 20, 21, 29 and 28, Township 9 South, Range 15 West, thence running South of Section line between Sections 29 and 28, 54.33 Chains; thence West 9.80 Chains; thence North 54.33 Chains; thence East 9.80 Chains to the place of beginning containing 531 Acres and being a part of the Nancy Collins Claim No. 24 and lying in Section 29, Township 9 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per plat made by Leland J. Henderson, Surveyor, dated 13th day of October, A.D. 1896 and on file and of record in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of June, A. D. 1956 to defend the suit No. 7449 in said Court of CHARLES H. VOGT, SR., et al.

The same being a suit to place heirs in possession of said land above described wherein you are a defendant.

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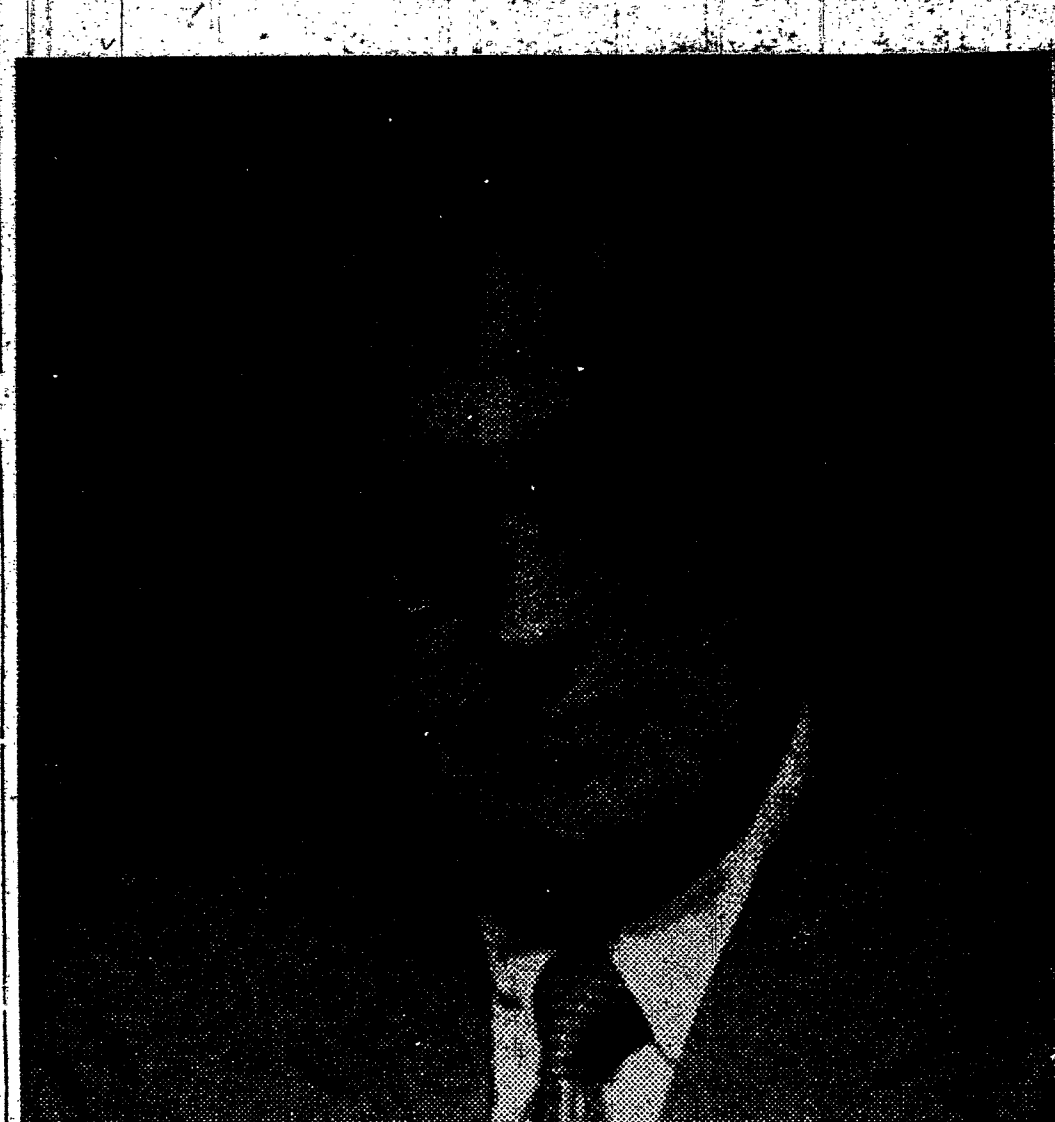
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The honor was bestowed upon him, it is stated, because of the outstanding contributions to the welfare of the state and the many varied civic works he has performed.

Mr. Roos has been very active in numerous civic organizations in New Orleans and the State of Louisiana, and has been particularly interested in the welfare of the police officers.

Roos was recently reappointed as chairman of the New Orleans Police Advisory Board, a position he has held now for 8 years. Some other "First"

held the position of Life in New Orleans, where he is a member of the Police Officers Association of the State of Louisiana. He is also a member of the Police Officers Association of the State of Louisiana, and a member of the Police Officers Association of the State of Louisiana. Since leaving Clermont, he and his family are living in New Orleans.

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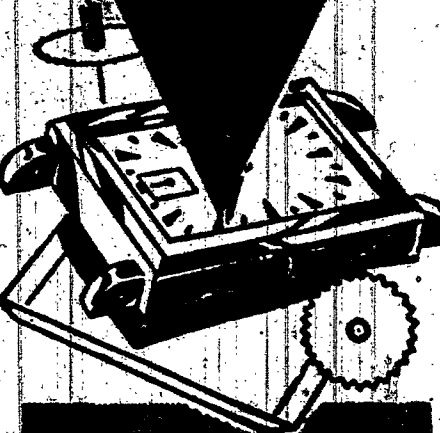
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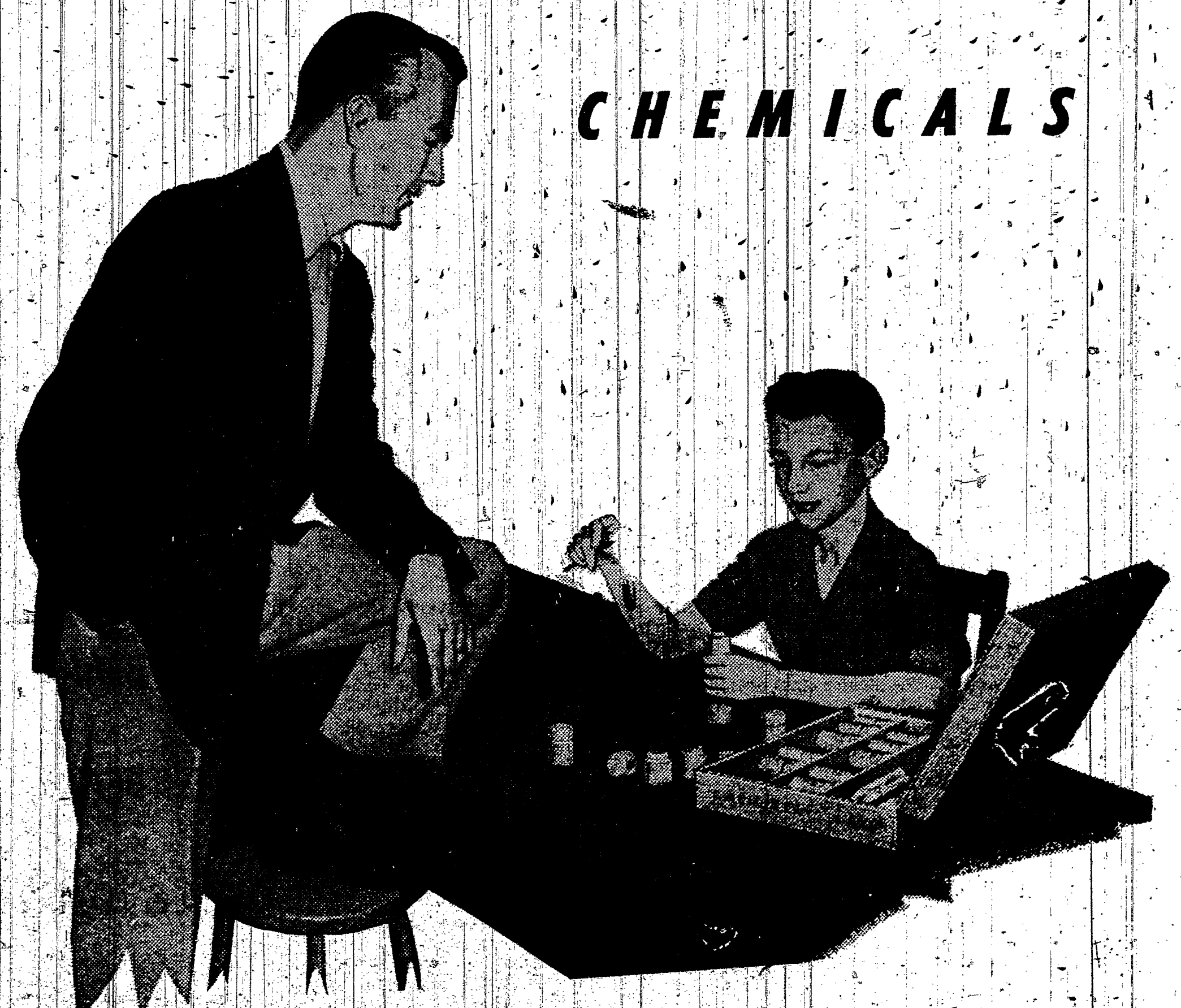
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